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Filing Date	June 20, 2001
First Named Inventor	Thomas L. Ritzdorf
Title	Method and apparatus...
Art Unit	1795
Examiner Name	William T. Leader
Attorney Docket Number	63857.8170.US02

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STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

Dkt. No. 63857.8170.US02

Applicant/Patent Owner: Semitool, Inc.Application No./Patent No.: 09/885,451 Filed/Issue Date: 06/20/2001

Entitled: Method and apparatus for low temperature annealing of metallization micro-structures in the production of a microelectronic device

Semitool, Inc. a Corporation
(Name of Assignee) (Type of Assignee, e.g., corporation, partnership, university, government agency, etc.)

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Kenneth H. Ohrner
Signature

6/12/08
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Title

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